PARSONS-SOUDERS DAILY STORENEWS

Clarksburg, Friday Dec. 5

Phones: Bell 179; Home 178

Right Now Sir, When Nearly Every Woman Is a Santa Claus



In the first place, is SHE just one of the 45,432,121 females in the United States, or is she different?

Is there anything about her that makes you feel that she should have something a little BETTER and with a little more MEANING in it than just an ORDINARY GIFT, to an average woman.

If so, then you will find here in the Parsons-Souders Store for Women:

-Gifts that are different.

-Gifts that are out of the ordinary.

Gifts worth while to worth-while women.

One of the busiest and most active men in Clarksburg told us HE already had his Christmas present selected for HIS WIFE-a Chest of Community Silver-"and it's fine," he said.

If you are willing to give your wife a cliest of silver for Christmas, you don't have to be a judge of silver to buy safely in this store, and if its not silver, THEN Cut Glass, set of Dinner Ware, piece of Fancy China, Artwares, or a thousand and one other rich and exclusive gifts to be found in this \$150,000 exhibit.

When Your Wife Opens a Box and Finds Community Silver In It

Generally she is the one who wants things she can use every day. A gift of Community Silver-40c to \$32-in the Silverware section on Basement Floor are

Tea Spoons, \$2.15 Set of Six. Tea Spoons, \$2.15 Set of Six.

Dessert Spoons, \$4.00 Set of Six.

Table Spoons, \$4.30 Set of Six.

Bouillion Spoons, \$3.75 Set of Six.

Round Bone Soup Spoons, \$4.30 Set of Six.

Ice Tea Spoons, \$3.00 Set of Six.

Orange Spoons, \$3.00 Set of Six.

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Preserve of Jelly Spoons, \$1.25 each.

Berry or Salad Spoons, \$1.75 each.

Baby Spoons, 50c each.

Sugar Shell, 75c each.

Butter Knife, 75c each.

Cold Meat Fork, \$1.25 each. Cold Meat Fork, \$1.25 each. Pic Forks, \$4.00 Set of Six. Oyster Forks, \$2.75 Set of Six. Pickle Forks, 90c each. Salad Forks, \$4.25 Set of Six. Ice Cream Forks, \$3,25 Set of Six.

Butter Spreaders, \$3.50 Set of Six. Cream Ladles, \$1.25 cach. Gravy Ladles, \$1.50 each, Medium Soup Ladle, \$1.00 each, Baby Food Pusher, 60c each,
3-piece Hollow Handle Child's Set, \$2.50.
Cheese Scoops, \$2.00.
3-piece Hollow Handle Carving Sets, \$8.00.
2-piece Hollow Handle Garving Sets, \$8.75.
Hollow Handle Medium Knives & Forks, \$10:30 set.
Hollow Handle Dessert Knives & Forks, \$9.50 set.
26-piece and Mahongany Chest, \$21.00.
32-piece and Mahongany Chest, love at first sight,

ANY DESIGN-Georgian, Louis XVI, Sheraton,

House Gowns Sure to Please Hearth Hugging Men

Whether they like the luxurious feel of Veski Garments-Terry Cloth and Blanket Robe—cotton mixture.

Or, the warm embrace of wool. Rich, dark colors.

Prices \$3, \$4, \$5 to \$10.

House Slippers for me, felt or leather in care-selected styles, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

German Silver Bags, \$2 to \$15. German Silver Purses, 50c to \$4.50. Purses and Card Cases combined,

\$1.25 to \$4.50. Vanity Cases, \$1.25 to \$10.50

German Silver Vanity Coin Holders,

Gun Metal Bags, \$1 to \$7. Purses, \$1 to \$2.50. Vanities, \$3 to \$5. Gold-plated Mesh Bags, \$12 to \$18.

HANDKERCHIEFS

Large table assortment—plain, hem- ues at \$1.69. stitched and embroidered. Also several gift boxes containing 3

Mr. Kruskal of New York

will give his 10th Annual Fur **Opening**

at Parsons-Souders Thursday, December 11 Friday, December 12

Many people feel that the one above all others as a Christmas gift to the women folks of the family is CLOTHES

A Suit, a Coat, Dress or Separate

It renders pleasure every day. To mother, wife and daughter.

Pleasures and satisfaction that compound themselves in wearing clothes that Little Bags and Trinkets are right, look right and stay right.

Whatever a woman like to carry in Clothes and every gift is exchangeable afthe hand or from her wrist is something ter Christmas—we'll lend every aid in correcting little faults, in fitting, color,

Beginning Our Sale of Lucille Corsets, \$1.69

Last December the sale was a big

The makers to get early advance or-Sterling Coin Holders, \$2.25 to \$10.50. ders for Spring make certain price concessions that enable us to offer \$2.00 val-

> First allotment of 180 Corsets-Advance spring styles, special \$1.69, sizes 18

Traveling Men Like the Folding Umbrella

"But you'd be surprised," said the ubmrella man, "how many we sell to wo-

They are such copmact affairs, are so serviceable and take up so little room, it is small wonder their popularity is wide.

They fold down to 14 3-4 inches long. 11/2 inches wide and may be folded or unfolded in a few seconds. Of silk taffeta, the covers sightly as well as durable. \$5.

Orn E. Morrison, son of Mr. and
Mrs. O. L. Morrison, or this city, was
married November 26, at 5:30
p. m., to Miss Mayme Bond, at the
home of the bride at West Union,
the Rev. Mr. Runkle, officiating

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months occupied the position of
teller in the First National Bank
with credit to hisself and an influential asset to the bank.

Mrs. Morrison was left an orphan,
her parents both being dead for several years, and she has made her
home with her grandmother, Mrs.
Laught. She is an excellent young
lady and is held in esteem by all
who know here. The future for
inese young people for usefulness
and influence is apparent, and the
Express, with a multitude of other
Irlends, extend the highest congratulations and hopes of happinenss for
several of the younger social set in
Homman Hall tonight. Dancing will
start at 3 o'clock. Hall's Cadenza
orchestra will furnish the music. The
matronesses will be Mrs. Arthur
Heinze Mrs. A. L. Roberts and Mrs.
W. B. Osborn.

Sale of Baked Goods. lations and hopes of happinenss for lations and hopes of happiness for as permanent residents of our city.—Galein Express.

Society Entertained.

The Ladies Ald Society of Ash hapel, Methodist Episcopal church of Broad Oaks met with Mrs. E. A. Bat-ten Thursday afternoon. The meet-ing was opened by all standing and business matters were discussed and the society decided to meet next Thursday afternoon in the basement of the church. All members are requested to be present and bring a friend with them. The hostess then served a delicious lunch assisted by Mrs. M. D. Garrison

Those present were Mrs. T. A. Mc-Daniel, Mrs. H. Hipchen, Mrs. M. M. Mills, Mrs. M. D. Garrison, Mrs. E. A. Rider, Mrs. Hode Stewart, Mrs. T H. Lafferty, Mrs. F. W. Mitchell, Mrs. H. S. Wine, Mrs. R. A. Mitchell, Mrs. H. P. Fuller, and the Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Hammond.

Recital Program.
The following is the program of the recital to be given Saturday af-ternoon in the assembly hall of the Waldo under auspices of the Mar-ato Club by Frederick Curtis But-erfield, planist:

Beethoven. Sonata, C major, Op. 2, No. 3. Algro con hrle, mosts?

Scherzo Alegro Alegro Assal (This Richard Platt. Dyril Scott Lotus Land Dande Debussy . Refie is dans l'eau Tristesse de Columbine: Poli-chinelle (Burlesque): Pierrot reveus (Noctunette); Caprice Sganarelle.

Mrs. Harrington Entertains. Upon the arrival of the guests Mrs. WilMam A. Harrington served ices and coffee in the dining room yesterday afternoon at a large card party she gave in her home on West Main street.
The prettily appointed table had for its centerpiece long stemmed white chrysanthemums and malden hair ferns. Mrs. Guy Earle poured coffee and the hostess was assisted by Mrs. Charles W. Halterman, Mrs. Benjamin Shuttleworth, Mrs. Edward Wilson and

Mrs. Lyle Smith. Later progressive euchre played at nine tables and at the com-pletion of the games the souvenirs were awarded to Mrs. Guy Earle and Mrs. Earl Spraker on a tie with Mrs. Lyle Smith.

Entertained Circle.

At her home in Adamston from 8 to 11 o'clock Thursday evening Mrs. Joseph Purcell entertained the iadies' Sewing Circle of that place most delightfully. Fancy work and a guessing contest were pleasant diversions of the evening. A most appreciative souvenir of the affair was awarded Mrs. Fred A. McFarlin. At a seasonable hour delicious re-At a seasonable hour deficients to freshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting of the circle will be held at the home of Mrs. John Miller, on Mines street.

Christmas Sale. Thursday afternoon and evening of December 11 was decided by the members of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Methodist Episcopal church as the date to hold their Christmas sale with a luncheon served at noon and supper in the evening at a meeting yesterday afternoon in the social room of the church after the routine business of the society had been dis-cussed and transacted.

Birthday Affair. To celebrate her daughter, Miss Frances's eleventh birthday Mrs. G. A. Poterson gaye a very enjoyable party yesterday afternoon in her home on Mechanic street. Various games were enjoyed and at 5 o'clock refreshments were served. The young honor guest was the recipient of a great many attractive gifts as souvenirs of the oc-

Officers Elected. At a meeting of the Woman's So-ciety and Missionary meeting of the Central Presbyterian church which was held in the home of Mrs. Mortimer was beld in the home of Mrs. adrimer W. Smith with Miss Pauline Bartlett as hostess yesterday afternoon the following members were elected officers to serve for the new year.

President—Miss Mary Period President—Miss Mary Period No. 1 and Davis.

Birthday Party.
A very enjoyable birthday party was given by Mrs. Florence Stuart Tues day afternoon to celebrate the ninth birthday of her little viece, Miss Neva. Sinart. Quite a number of games were enjoyed by the young people and fater refreshments were served.

p. m., to Miss Mayme Bond, at the home of the bride at West Union, the Rev. Mr. Rankie, officiating.

The wedding was a very quiet affair, even very close friends unsuspecting. Boon after the reremony the bride and bridestoom boarded No. 55 for Parkersburg, returning past on No. 2, and they are now so.

Sale of Baked Goods.

The Ledles' Aid Society of the Air amston United Brethren church will bold a zale or baked goods at Hutchinson's store; there Saturday, commencing at 10 a.m.

Chicken Pie Dinner. A fine chicken pie dinner will be given from 5 to 8 o'clock Wednesday repeating the Lord's Prayer. Several dist Protestant chapel at the corner of Sycamore and Locust streets, by the ladies of the church for church

SECOND PAY.

On Big Elk creek, near Wallace, in Sardis district, the Big Elk Oll Com-pany has d-liled its second test on the George T. Smith farm deeper and gotten a second pay in the Gordon sand of 160 barrels a day.

XMAS BAZAAR.

The Ladies Ald Society of the First M. B church will hold their annual bazaar Thursday, December, 11. all day and evening with a luncheon served at noon and evening. Home

A CLOTHES-BUYING Chance

that requires only a little figuring to convince any woman!

When you can come into this store and select from many a handsome fall and winter suit for which you are accutsomed to pay from \$27.50 to \$35.00, you will realize the value of this reduction.

In the lot are Suits in Serges Broadcloth, Diagonal, Matelasse and others.

The styles are many and of the very latest. Real Beauty is in every line of these Suits and you are buying them at a sensationally low price.

\$18.50



The WOMEN'S STORE

The City Water Today

Following is today's test for fever and other germs as made by Perkins Boynton, chemist at the water works. Also precipi-tation for the twenty-four hours ending at 10 o'clock today:

ANALYSIS. Bacillus coli present in No. bacteria in 0.1 c, c 1.0 c. c. 1.0 c. c. River water....... 37 City water..... 0 EXPLANATION.

C. C.-Cubic centimeter (about) a thimbleful, Bacillus coll—Intestinal germ.

X—present. 0—absent.

Precipitation 0 inches.

UNMATCHABLE FOOD VALUES.

Make note of your needs, then figure the difference between Weidenhamer's prices and those you pay elsewhere. Every time a houeswife does this, she becomes an enthusiastic Weidenhamer customer. Try it now.

Positively the Most Attractive PURE FOOD OFFERS in the City.

GOOD TO DRINK FOR BREAKFAST 3 Aunt Jamima's Pan Cake Flour 5 pound Hygeia Coffee , \$1.30 2 pound Old Reliable Coffee ... 550 pounds Pure Buckwheat Flour, 2 pound White House Coffee 68c 3 Washington Crisps for Large Size Instant Postum, 42c can 3 Mothers Oats for 25c CANNED VEGETABLES. (Quality the Finest that Grows.) Teney's Teas, one-fourth pound 5 pound new Cal. Lima Beans, 45c Pride of America Corn ... Tie car 5 pound Mich, Soup Beans for . 25c Pride of America Peas....12c can CALIFORNIA CANNED GOODS Fancy Frult, the best that is packed. Big value for this sale. Corona Yellow Free Peaches, per Star Tomatoes 12c can Can 19c
Corona Apricots, can 19c
Any of above \$2.20 dozen
Corona White Cherries, can 21c Burr Oak Red Kidney Beans Libby Sauer Kraut 12e can Superior Pumpkin ... \$1.30 8c can

can Pineapple, can 20c FANCY FLORIDA ORANGES The most elegant Fruit we have seen this year. Sound, ripe, 3C and just rull of juice. 36 Per dozen 350 WEIDENHAMER'S PURE FOOD STORES 227 3d St. Both Phones Cor. Chestnut & Pike Sts

Holland Red Beats

Sweet Melody, per sack ... William Tell, per 12 lb. sack ... 35c Golden Loaf, per 241/2 lb. sack, . 65c Pure Family Lard. Uncle Sam has Lard placed his approval on this extra quality Snow White Lard. Pound.

5 Pounds SUGAR For 260

KITCHEN HELPS Red Scal Cleanser tc can 21/2 pound Rumford Baking Powder 25c 7 Box Ideal 3 lb. Pkg Salt for .. 25c 7 Box Argo Starch for 25c 2 Big Bottle Liquid Bluing SOAPS Large size Gold Dust for 19c

6 Star Naptha Powder for 25c

7 Cakes Ivory Soap for 25c

10 Cakes Fels Naptha Soap for 45c

8 Cakes Lennox Soap for 25c

USEFUL XMAS GIFTS

A society has been formed in the east, the members of which pledge themselves to give only useful Christmas presents. This sentiment prevails in Clarksburg. What is more useful than furniture? What will last longer? What other presents can the whole family enjoy? While the stock is new select your gifts from our choice window display. We will put them away for Xmas delivery.

LADIES' DESKS—A fine selection can be made from our stock in Mahogany, Golden Oak, Fumed our stock in Mahogany, Golden Oak, Fumed Oak, Circassian Walnut or Bird's Eye Maple— \$6.00 to \$20.00. MUSIC CABINETS.—The latest styles of plain and

fancy music cabinets are ou our floors: \$6,50 to CELLARETTES AND SMOKERS-Fumed Oak Cellarettes, \$8.00 to \$15,00. Fumed Oak Smokers, \$1.25 to \$5,00. Handsome Brass Smokers, 50c

to \$2,25. BABY COMFORTS—Go-carts, \$4.50 to \$25.00, High Chairs, \$1.50 to \$4.00. Baby Rockers, \$1.00 to \$3.50. Folding Doll Carts, \$1,25 to \$2.50. Doll Beds, \$1.00 to \$7.00.

BOOKCASES-Combinations \$17.50 to \$28,00. Viking Sectional Book Cases, (Double), \$6.00 per OFFICE FURNITURE-Flat Top Desks, \$18.00 to

\$26,00. Roll Top Desks, \$18,50 to \$33,00. Revolving Chairs, \$4.00 to \$7.00. KINDEL PARLOR BED-Absolute perfection in the davenport line. Simply wonderful yet wonderfully simple. See them demonstrated. Davenports, \$24,00 up.

HAMMERED BRASS JARDENIERES AND TRAYS—A beautiful selection of various sizes, an ornament to any home. Trays 75c to \$1.75. Jardenieres, \$1.25 to \$4.50.
GREENCASTLE RITCHEN CABINETS—With slid-

ing doors, sliding top, glass sugar bin and con-cealed ironing board, \$26.00 to \$34.00.

NEW METHOD GAS RANGE—Rust proof, conveni-ently arranged, excellent bakers and broilers, guaranteed burners. \$15.00 to \$50.00.

BRASS BEDS—Latest design, large fillers, satin and bright finish, guaranteed not to tarnish, \$18,00 to \$50,00.

LADIES DRESSING TABLES-Circassian Walnut, Mahogany, Golden Oak, Birde's Eye Maple, triple

Mirrors. \$12,00 to \$30,00.

GENTLEMEN'S CHIFFOROBES—In Golden Oak,

Funed Oak, Mahogany and Bird's Eye Maple.

Just the thing for Christmas. \$25,00 up.

VACUUM HAND SWEEPERS—Best on the market,

Special prices for Holidays, \$4.00 to \$7.50.

CEDAR CHESTS—Handy the year round. \$7.50 up.

WHITE ENAMEL MEDICINE CABINETS—A nice

assortment with mirrors. \$1.50 to \$5.00 assortment with mirrors, \$1,50 to \$6.00.
PICTURES AND MIRRORS—A variety of frames

and sizes. All prices PALACE FURNITURE @ PIANO CO

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